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Mr. Holland Shepherd
Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
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355 West North Temple
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SUBJECT: Approval of Mining and Reclamation Plan
State Application Identifier #UT890719-020

Dear Mr. Shepherd:

The Resource Development Coordinating Committee of the State of Utah has reviewed this proposed action, and the Division of State History comments:

No prehistoric or historic sites have been recorded within the project area because no cultural resource surveys have been conducted. However, such sites may well exist in the project area.

A survey of the area will likely lead to the identification of more resources, some of which may be eligible for the National Register. It is your responsibility, based on this assessment, to determine the need for further actions, such as field surveys or predictive models to identify historic properties. If you choose to do this, [State History] will be glad to comment on your evaluation of historic properties against the National Register criteria (36 CFR 60.4) should any sites be found. [They] will also assist in applying the criteria of effect as outlined in 36 CFR 800.5.

If you have questions or need additional [historic] assistance, please contact [Jim Dykman] at (801) 533-7039. (Ref. Case No. M989)

The Committee appreciates the opportunity to review this proposal. Please direct any other written questions regarding this correspondence to the Utah State Clearinghouse, at the above address, or call Carolyn Wright at (801) 538-1535, or John Harja at (801) 538-1559.

Sincerely,

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